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PRESS RELEASE

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Registration for summer activities begins Feb. 1

Kerrville, Texas (Jan. 10, 2022) – The City of Kerrville Parks and Recreation Department would like to announce that registration for 2022 summer activities will open Feb. 1. Activities include: Group Swim Lessons, Private and Semi-Private Swim Lessons, Junior Lifeguard Camp, Kids Triathlon, and the Skateboard Competition.

Registration for all programs will take place at the Parks and Recreation Department office located at Kerrville-Schreiner Park, 2385 Bandera Hwy.; over the phone at (830) 257-7300; or online at www.kerrvilletx.gov.

Aquatics

Swim Lessons

There will be three sessions of Group Swim Lessons at the Olympic Pool for ages 6 months and up. Each session runs Tuesday through Friday for two weeks, and the fee is \$45 per session. Sign up Feb. 1 as classes fill



up fast!

Session dates are as follows:

- Session 1: May 31 – June 10; Registration deadline is May 27.
- Session 2: June 14-24; Registration deadline is June 10.
- Session 3: July 5-15; Registration deadline is July 1.

Private and Semi-Private Swim Lessons

For \$100 you can get four days of one-on-one instruction with a swim instructor in a private swim lesson. For parents that have children at a similar skill level but still want one-on-one instruction, we offer semi-private lessons (up to two children) at \$150 for four days. Private and semi-private lessons are an hour long, and are scheduled during open swim (12-6 p.m.). To schedule private or semi-private swim lessons, e-mail or call Rosa Ledesma at rosa.ledesma@kerrvilletx.gov or (830) 258-1160.

Junior Lifeguard Camp

Our Junior Lifeguard Camp is a great opportunity for children to obtain skills and knowledge to keep themselves and others safe in aquatic environments. Participants will be introduced to lifesaving techniques, swimming, and team building skills to help in a water safety emergency. Participants will NOT become certified lifeguards, but can gain experience in this fun camp. The camp will run from July 18-22 starting



at 8 a.m. and ending at noon. The fee to attend is \$60 per participant. Participants must be between the ages of 10-14, and be able to swim on their own.

Mermaid Class

Our mermaid class is back again – learn to swim in a beautiful mermaid tail! You'll learn different monofin swimming techniques to get you feeling like a mermaid. Participants must be able to swim on their own. This four-day class will run



from 11 a.m. – 12 p.m. starting July 26. The fee to participate is \$60.

Senior Water Aerobics

Senior citizens may participate in this low impact water aerobics exercise class offered through the Dietert Center. Registration is through the Dietert Center at 451 Guadalupe St., (830) 792-4044.

Adult Lap Swim

Adults aged 16 years + may swim laps long course at the Olympic Pool Tuesday – Thursday from 9 - 10 a.m. Regular \$1 admission or a Dietert Membership pass is required for entry.

U.S. Master Swimming Private / Semi-Private Lessons

Whether you're an experienced triathlete, fitness swimmer or newbie, learn to improve the efficiency and power of your stroke, making you comfortable, proficient and faster. The focus is on the front crawl stroke, but other strokes can be included in the lessons. Register

through Celeste Hamman, Certified U.S. Masters Swim Coach, at coach@clesetehamman.com.

Pool Rentals

We will also be accepting reservations for rentals at the Olympic Pool for pool rentals, picnic area rentals, and the pool pavilion rentals.

The pool is the perfect place to have your summer party! Our new Wibit obstacle course feature will be a huge hit at your next party. Reservation fees and packages are below, all reservations include



lifeguards:

- Olympic Pool Rental (\$250 for two hours + \$100 deposit)
 - Saturdays 10 a.m. – 12 p.m. and 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
 - Sundays 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
 - 200 person maximum
- Pool Pavilion Rental (\$35 for two hours + \$25 deposit; \$95 for the entire day + \$25 deposit)
 - Two hour time blocks between 12 p.m. and 6 p.m.
 - NEW: Rent the pavilion for the entire day (12 p.m. – 6 p.m.)
 - Rental does not include admission fees
- Pool Picnic Area Rental (\$15 for the entire day)

- Rental does not include admission fees

Recreation

Skateboard Competition

The Skateboard Competition will take place on June 11 at Singing Wind Park beginning at



10 a.m. Entrants will have three minutes to perform their best skating skills. Admission is free; however, participants will still need to register for the event. Helmets are required.

On-site registration will also be available for this

event.

Kids Triathlon

The Kids Triathlon will take place on Aug. 13 at Singing Wind Park, 2112 Singing Wind Dr.

Boys and girls ages 18 and under are welcome to participate in this swim, bike, and run event

sponsored by Hill Country Bicycle Works. The fee for a single child is \$15. For parents with multiple children, the Parks and Recreation Department offers the following discount: \$10 for the second child and \$5 for every child after



that. The discount is not available online, but will be honored at the Parks and Recreation Department office. On-site registration will also be available for this event, but pre-registration is encouraged.

For more information, contact the Parks and Recreation Department at (830) 257-7300, recreation@kerrvilletx.gov, visit the city's website at www.kerrvilletx.gov, or follow us on Facebook at City of Kerrville TX – City Hall or Instagram at cityofkerrville.

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